# Personals

Mrs. Frank Buchanan and daughter, of Staunton, have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buchanan.

Mrs. W. P. Barbee and daughter, Sallie, of Winston-Salem, N. C. are visiting her sister, Mrs. G. B. Buchanan.

Guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Robertson, of Spout Spring, were Jimmy Robertson and family, of Newport News, Mrs. Virgil Robertson, Mrs. N. L. Davis, Mrs. E. C. Hall, Miss Shirley Garth and H. Hudson, of Lynchburg, Mrs. Mary Bethel, of Laurel, Md. Billy Hall, of Lynchburg has been a guest in this home for the summer.

Mrs. W. T. S. Carter, of Lynchburg and Billy Carter, of Creve, were recent guests in the home of Mrs. William Lawrence Brown.

Miss Dot Buchanan, of Washington D. C., is home for a few days.

Rev. Donald Carson, of Ashland, will hold a series of services at the Presbyterian Church, beginning on Sunday evening at eight o'clock, September 5th, and each evening during that week.

Miss Dorothy Marshall is visiting Misses Lucy and Emma Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Baird and children and Mrs. Herman Motley, and son, all of Roanoke, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Franklin.

Sonny Motley, of Roanoke is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Godsey and children, of Baltimore spent last week here.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. W. B. Caldwell is improving from a recent illness.

Mrs. Joe O'Brien is ill at the home of her son, Otway, in Lynchburg.

Mrs. L. M. Ringham, of Bluefield is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cheatham.

Miss Shirley Bogar, of Baltimore spent Monday night with Misses Laura and Florence McFadden.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Richardson, of Newport News have returned after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Carter.

Mrs. Addie Morris, of Lynchburg is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Carter.

J. C. Caldwell will spend the week-end in Washington.

Mrs. Lloyd Bradley, of Richmond Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt and daughter, of Raleigh, N. C., are visiting Mrs. W. E. Reynolds. Mr. Bradley will spend the week-end in the same home.

Mrs. W. E. Reynolds and daughter, Iris, spent the week-end in Richmond.

Mrs. Wesley Jarrells spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Jarrells. Guests Sunday in this home were Mrs. Louise Hall, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Franklin and daughter, Helen.

Miss Elizabeth LeGrand will leave Sunday for Fairfax, where she will teach home economics this session.

Mrs. Lillie Gregory and Mrs. T. M. Trent were visitors in Roanoke and Buchanan this week.

J. Hubbard Cheatham and Tom Cheatham, of Miami, Florida, were guests of their brother, J. Hudson Cheatham, at Hotel Appomattox this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Smith spent the week-end at "Belvoir," near Charlottesville, the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith.

Mrs. William Lawrence Brown has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. James W. Carter, at Crewe.

William I. Brown, of Doylestown, Pa., has returned to his home after visiting Mrs. W. L. Brown.

Mrs. Rober W. Monroe, of Medford, Boston, Mass, is spending a month with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Gurney.

Billy Roth, of Philadelphia, Pa., returned home today after visiting his aunt, Mrs. Norman Dawson.

Among those attending the W. C. T. U. bi-county convention in Lynchburg Tuesday were Mrs. T. A. Collins, Mrs. Luther Morris, Mrs. Lottie Bledsoe, Mrs. T. W. Moses, Mrs. C. T. Moses and Miss Mary Louise Gills.

The Susie Whittinghill Y. W. A. of Liberty Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Hunter Dickerson on Thursday evening, after which there will be a social hour honoring Miss Virginia Christian, whose marriage to George Leo Koss, of Oregon, will take place Saturday.

Mrs. Edwin Frazyer has returned from a visit to Farmville and Richmond.

Mrs. William Haller Copenhaver and Miss Cornelia Gills are spending several days in Lynchburg as guests of Mrs. Allen Gills.

We are glad to hear that T. E. Owen is improving. He is a patient at the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Schools will open here on September 9th.

Mrs. R. W. S anley will entertain the contract bridge club on Friday evening.

Garnett M. Deane was a visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Ferguson, and Mrs. Otway Martin, of Lynchburg and Miss Eloise Trent, of Vera spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson and son, Hugert Wayne, and Mrs. Mattie Carter spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. Wesley Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Berkley Ferguson, Mrs. Otway Martin and Buddie Taliaferro, of Lynchburg and Miss Elliott Gilbert spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Trent.

Mrs. Willie Bryant, of Baltimore, Md., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.Dallas Bryant, of Vera.

Mrs. Floyd Martin and son, of Lynchburg spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Ferguson, of Vera.

Rev and Mrs. George D. Coffey of Richmond spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Smith.

Rev. Wm. R. Reed left Sunday for the Eastern Shore of Virginia, where he will spend his vacation fishing, in company with Dr. W. A. Wright of Lexington and Dr. Hank of Petersburg.

Among those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Godsey last week were Kermit Godsey, machinis mate 1-c, U. S. N., Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. King, and Mrs. Thelma Robertson, of Concord, Mrs. C. D. Godsey, also of Concord, and Mr. and Mrs. Winston Godsey, of Washington, D. C. Winston left August 24 for the U. S. Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Max Kirby, of Blackstone also visited in this home.

Misses Virginia and Vivian Ann Harvey, of Evergreen, and their two cousins, from Suffolk visited Misses Nelda and Ruby Lucado Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Brooks and Mrs. J. M. Lucado and family, of Lynchburg visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Marsh Sunday.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carter Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carter, Mrs. Warner Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Lee Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McFadden and John Turnes.

Miss Elmira McCormick, who has been in Arlington, Va., was home for the week-end.

Mrs. James Allen Reed and her sister, Miss Ruth Smith, of Greenville, R. I., are here on a visit.

Mrs. T. E. Turnes is spending this week in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Rosa L. Carter spent the week-end at her home in Burkeville.

Miss Frankie McKinney, Miss Elaine McDearmon, and H. Y. Spencer spent last week at Virginia Beach.

Burke Steele of Petersburg spent the week-end here.

Capt. and Mrs. John Sanford Hill of Camp Pickett and Andover have announced the birth of a daughter, Anne Marguerite born Thursday, August 19, at the Virginia Baptist Hospital, Lynchburg. Mrs. Hill will be remembered as the former Miss Virginia Lee Thompson.

R. L. Burke spent last week at Virginia Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Syd Smith and son of Portsmouth are spending this week with relatives in the county.

Albert Baird, of Buckingham was a visitor in Appomattox Saturday. Mrs. Baird accompanied him to Buckingham.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gobble, of Washington, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Snell and three daughters, Mollie, Ruth and Rachel and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nash.

Mrs. W. S. Bryant, of Cullen, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. T. U. Conner.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Robinson are expected to arrive Sunday afternoon to spend several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Robinson.

L. E. Morris, who has been at home for several weeks, returned to Norfolk Monday. He was accompanied by H. G. Johnson, who spent several days in Portsmouth with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Doss.

Miss Mabel Enoch has returned to her home in Lynchburg, after visiting in the home of Mrs. L. E. Smith and Mrs. Don Moses last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Chas. F. James have been visiting Major and Mrs. Chas. F. James, Jr., at Fort Monroe, Va.

Mrs. Charles Crawley and son, of East Falls Church, are visiting Professor and Mrs. L. Crawley.

Miss Sarah Myers, of Bridgewater spent the week-end in the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Christian.

Lieut. Furney, of Baltimore spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. LeGrand.

Luncheon guests of Mrs. L. W. Carter Wednesday were Mesdames U. Conner, C. H. Robinson, Mattie Hubbard and Ola Patteson.

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet tonight.

## Engagement of Miss Ila Jean Carter Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Willie W. Carter, of Appomattox announce the engagement of their daughter, Ila Jean, to Lieutenant Daniel G. Ifft, son of Mrs. Elsie Ewing, of Pittsburgh, Pa. Lieut. Ifft is stationed at Fort McClellan, Alabama. No date has been set for the wedding.

## Spain—Cocke

Mrs. Agnes Jennings Cocke, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Parks Jennings, of this county, became the bride of the Rev. Charles Everett Spain, of Petersburg, Tuesday, the 17th, at 10:30 A. M. The ceremony, which took place in the Hebron Baptist Church, was performed by the Rev. William Mayfield Thompson. The church was beautifully decorated with white flowers and evergreens. Mrs. Thelma Booth sang, "Because" and "O Perfect Love." The bride was gowned in a lace dress of street length and wore white accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of white. The marriage an all white one, as he officiating minister and groom were white suits.

The bride, who is a graduate of the State Teachers College in Farmville, has been a teacher in the Appomattox county schools. The groom, who is a graduate of the University of Richmond, was formerly pastor of the Hebron group of Baptist churches.

Rev. and Mrs. Spain will visit Ridgecrest, N. C., and other points on their wedding trip, after which they both will attend the Baptist Bible Institute in New Orleans.

## He Had Just About Given Up Getting His Laundry

WASHINGTON.—Capt. Michael Patrick O'Leary's laundry finally has been delivered. That may not sound important, but—

His laundry went out at Long Beach, Calif. It was forwarded to Hickam Field in Hawaii. Then to Cairo. Then to North Africa. Then London.

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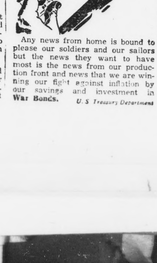

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## Volunteer Guides Tell Britons English History

LONDON.—The volunteer guides who show American soldiers around London are surprised at the knowledge the visitors have of the English capital. Sometimes they cannot answer the soldiers' questions, and sometimes the men teach their guides. Edward J. Cormack, who runs regular Sunday morning tours from the Washington club, took a party to Westminster Abbey recently. A serious looking United States soldier asked: "Where is the umbrella man?" Mr. Cormack's thoughts flew to Neville Chamberlain; but the soldier meant Jonas Hanway, to whom there is a memorial near the west door. He was the first man to carry an umbrella in London. Mr. Cormack had never heard of him. But the doughboy explained: "The sedan chair carriers nearly stoned him to death because his umbrellas were doing them out of business on wet nights."

## Judge Fills Part-Time Job in Airplane Plant

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.—Municipal Judge Leo Freund sits on his court bench eight hours a day; then he stands for four hours without his alpaca robe, before a hand screw machine at the Master Aircraft parts plant making bolts for bombers. His bolts have to be accurate to thousandths of an inch. His court closes at 4:30, he grabs a snack to eat at home and is standing before the hand screw machine at 5:30. A number of other judges are filling part-time defense jobs on a similar basis.

## Strikes in Mines Cost British 213,980 Tons

LONDON.—In six months, November 1, 1942, to May 1, 1943, there were 308 work stoppages in British coal mines causing the loss in the output of much-needed coal for war industries of 213,980 tons, according to figures given in the house of commons by Maj. Lloyd George, minister of fuel and power. He said the majority of the stoppages were due to labor disputes in Scotland and lasted one day or less.

## Sergeant Qualifies as Keeper of the Bees

BAINBRIDGE, GA.—The Bainbridge army air field today boasts a new "Keeper of the Bees."

He is Staff Sergt. Harry Reynolds of Rome, Ga.

When a swarm of bees recently lighted on the fence of his quarters area, Sergt. Reynolds, an amateur apiarist, proceeded to aid the bees in performing to a large wooden hive. Wearing his gas mask and gloves, with trousers and shirt cuffs taped tightly, he dived into the swarming mass and scooped them into the hive.

With the assistance of Lieut. Frederick Sears, Portland, Ore., he finally got most of the insects safely in the box. The officers left the fence and crawled through small bored holes, to their queen bee.

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Frances E. Jamerson Woodson, Plaintiff

Against

Samuel R. Woodson, Defendant

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce, a mensa, from the Respondent on account of desertion.

And it appearing by affidavit filed that Samuel R. Woodson, is not a resident of the State of Virginia, he is hereby required to appear within ten days after the due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests

Teste. C. W. Smith, Clerk

George Abbitt, Jr., p. q.
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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D., Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Lesson for August 29

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### ISRAEL'S SIN AND RESTORATION

LESSON TEXT—Exodus 32:1-10; 34:4-9, 27, 28.

GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord is long-suffering and of great mercy, forgiving iniquity and transgression.—Numbers 14:18.

God is righteous, and cannot look with approval or in forgiveness upon sin until His mercy has been stirred and set free to act by repentance. Then He whose wrath is hotly kindled against man's transgression shows Himself as the tender and gracious God, "keeping loving-kindness for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin."

This grace of God is fully revealed in Christ and the redemption which He brought to man, but is prefigured in the experiences of Israel under the law.

**I. God's Wrath Kindled** (Exod. 32:7-10).

There are those who would have us think of God as a benevolent old gentleman who is easily hoodwinked by clever sinners who talk fast to cover their iniquity. Even if He does see it, He is supposed to be tenderhearted that He overlooks their sin.

Such folk had better read these words, "That my wrath may wax hot." The wrath of God is a real and awful affection of the divine nature and it is revealed against man who sins against His holy law.

The special sin of Israel on this occasion was idolatry, which is the setting up of some material symbol to represent the invisible God. Moses had been with God in the mount for 40 days. He had been the Lord's representative in their midst. His presence had evidently been the chief stabilizing influence.

Having their eyes set on a man, or a material object to take His place, they had lost sight of the invisible God. So they proceeded to establish this idol which would provide a center of worship. At first it was evidently intended to remind them of God, but soon it led them out into heathen revelry (Exod. 32:6, 17, 18).

Whatever a man puts between himself and God, even though he may at first intend it to be but a reminder of God, will lead him away from God. Ritual, symbols, theology, scholarship, all good in their places, may become the idols which separate present-day man from God.

**II. God's Mercy Invited** (Exod. 34:4-9).

Aaron had only a weak "alibi" to offer. The golden calf had practically made itself (see Exod. 32:24). How quick man is to justify himself instead of admitting his guilt. No doubt our excuses sound just as silly as Aaron's in the ears of God.

Moses knew better. The sin was dealt with in drastic fashion. When one deals with a wild ravenous beast, there is one remedy—"shoot to kill." Not only were the leaders of the wickedness slain, but the ground gold of the calf image was put into water, which all Israel drank. Thus were they all marked as sharing the guilt of this idolatry.

There is a lesson here for us. America is far from God. We need to seek His face in repentance. But let us remember that we (that is, Christian men and women) are a part of America. It is our guilt, and we ought to be on our faces before God, pleading for God's mercy upon our land.

Moses was now ready to seek the Lord's mercy for his wayward people. He is the intercessor, the intermediary. God had a man who had compassion and love in his heart, and the Lord heard him. Loving-kindness and tender mercy flowed forth in place of flaming anger.

Note that God has not changed. He is the unchangeable One. His wrath is still hot against man's sin, but man has repented, and moved out of God's wrath into His love and grace. That too is always being shown to His obedient children.

**III. God's Covenant Renewed** (Exod. 34:27, 28).

Moses had broken the first tablets of commandments. The people had sinned and were not then ready to listen to any word from Jehovah. But now they were prepared to receive it, and God renewed the covenant as He again gave Moses the law.

There is no need for despair in the heart of the one who deals with God. The mixed opportunity for obedience and blessing may be gone forever, but God is still on the giving hand ready to meet the returning prodigal, ready to give beauty for ashes (Isa. 61:3) and to restore the years that the locust has destroyed (Joel 2:25). Amazing grace!

In the keeping of these commandments, Israel was assured of the blessing of God. As we pointed out last week, the real fulfillment of the law came in Jesus Christ, who did not set aside its requirements, but met them all, for all who believe in His name.

## Concentration Camp at Huy

FIRST PHOTO of the German concentration camp at Huy, Belgium, recently smuggled out of Belgium and sent to the U. S., shows Belgium prisoners walking in the inner court, their hands manacled behind their backs. Sentrees. Once a day they are allowed to walk for 10 minutes in the court yard of the camp, which is situated in the Fortress of Huy and from which escape is practically impossible.

## Chap News

Chap, Aug. 24.- Owing to the severe dry weather, late gardens in this section are not so good.

Recent visitors of Mrs. Annie Powell were Leon Powell and family, of Nathan Powell, of Roanoke.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Everette Ferguson last Sunday were Charlie Nash and family and Dewitt Harvey and family.

Mr. Bently, Mrs. Luke Erne and son, Bobby were recent visitors in the home of W. M. Mann.

Mrs. W. M. Mann was slightly scalded recently by a jar of hot tomatoes.

Aubrey Pugh spent last week-end with home people.

Mrs. M. E. Pugh continues about the same.

Mrs. Eugene Wood returned home last Wednesday after spending a few days with her husband, at Brooklyn, N. Y.

## Bethany

Bethany, Aug. 24.- Mrs. Kate Allen has returned home after spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Meade Crews, of Nathalie.

Miss Virginia Harvey was supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin Saturday night.

E. S. J. Paulette and two children spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Paulette.

Willie Robertson has returned home after spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Paulette.

Mrs. Mildred Clark is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Evans, of Evergreen.

Millard Harvey spent Saturday night with Emmitt Paulette.

## Rocks Items

Rocks, Aug. 24.- Farmers are busy cutting tobacco and picking tomatoes for the cannery.

Mrs. James Thackston and son, Jimmy, of High Point, N. C., spent a week recently with her mother, Mrs. Maude Ransom, and sister, Mrs. Ebony Wilson, of Pamplin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dickerson and son, Samuel and Mrs. J. B. Wilson and daughter, Ellen were in Farmville last week.

Little Tommy Almond, of Lynchburg, who was spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. A. T. Anderson last week, cut three fingers off with a chop axe.

Robert Roach and boys were helping C. S. Ranson cut poles a few days last week.

J. H. Ranson is slowly improving.

G. E. Ranson was in a car wreck last week, but didn't get hurt.

Mrs. D. R. Inge and son, Claiborne left Friday for Norfolk to visit Mrs. J. P. Ransone and Mrs. Bernard Richardson for a few days.

Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse returned from Memorial hospital Saturday, much improved.

Those who spent Sunday with her were: Mrs. P. H. McPhillips and daughters, Margaret, of Pamplin, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Redd and son, Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Callie Phillips, of Meherrin. Others who called in the afternoon were Mrs. Walter Ranson and daughter, and Cassie and A. A. Baldwin.

Norfolk, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garre te Saturday.

Mrs. Richard Inge, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fleming Ransom, Mrs. Claudia Ransom and Miss Annie C. Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ranson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W Dickerson and family called to see Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ranson and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Dickerson have went to Lynchburg to see Mrs. Sherman Garlinghouse, who is a patient in the hospital.

## Vera Briefs

Vera, August 24.- Miss. Irene Garret, of Lynchburg, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Garrett.

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